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ಯಾರ ಹೆಸರು ಬರೆದಿರುತ್ತದೆಯೋ ಆ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಲೆವಿಯನ್ನು ನಿಗದಿ ಮಾಡಲಾಗುತ್ತದೆಯೋ ಎನ್ನುವುದನ್ನು ತಿಳಿಸುತ್ತಾರೆಯೇ ?

Smt. E. E. VAZ—The fact we take into consideration is—who grows the paddy ? Whether it is the land-lord or the tenant or the Mortgagee or anyone else. We demand from persons who actually grows the paddy in the land.

Continuation of S.M.P. and A.M.P. Medical Centres in Khanapur Taluk

130. **Sri N. B. SIRDESAI** (Khanapur).—

Will the Minister for Health be pleased to state :—

(a) the number of S.M.P. and A.M.P. medical centres exist in Khanapur Taluk ;

(b) whether Government is aware that orders regarding the continuation of these centres are delayed each year by the Health Department with the result the honoraria of the S.M.P. Doctors are not being drawn for several months ;

(c) if so, the steps taken to avoid delay in issuing orders for the continuation of these centres and payment of honoraria well in time ?

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA (Minister for Health).—

(a) S.M.P. Centres : 5

A.M.P. Centres : 2 (which come under T.D.B. Control).

(b) No.

(c) Does not arise.

Sri N. B. SIRDESAI.—With reference to your answer (b) may I know how the Government is not in the know of the facts or to deny the facts that I had represented to the Government in the past by putting questions and written representations stating that the honoraria of the S. M. P. Doctors were not drawn for months together ? Even before two months I had represented to the concerned Secretary that the honoraria has not been drawn for the past six months.

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—Now it has already been paid.

Sri N. B. SIRDESAI.—May I know the share of the Government towards running S. M. P. Centres and A.M.P. Centres for purchasing medicines and payment of honoraria etc.,

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—This is peculiar only to Bombay Karnataka area. This was created for a special purpose by the then Government as early as 1926 to provide facilities to the people in the rural areas. Now, in the rural areas we have got HUTD dispensaries. Perhaps we might have to convert them into HUTD or upgrade them.

There are nearly 149 hospitals in that area. These are all created with a view to provide some medical facilities in the rural areas. The intention of the Government is that they must serve the purpose for which it was established. In the modern set up we might have to upgrade them as soon as the present incumbent's period is over.

SRI N. B. SIRDESAI.—May I know whether the Government is aware of the fact that so long as the Government or the Taluk Board have not opened the Special Type Unit Dispensary or so long as the existing dispensaries have not been upgraded by the Taluk Board or the Government, the services of the staff of SMP and AMP Centres are quite essential. They should not be allowed to suffer because they are being allowed to suffer.

SRI H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—They are not being allowed to suffer; they continue to exist. Now the policy of the Government is to provide medical facilities at the rate of one hospital for 10 thousand population in the rural areas. On that basis as you are perhaps aware even in Belgaum District, this time, we have given as many as 22 HUTD Dispensaries. Therefore, in future, the problem will be to provide better facilities in the rural areas which should be rural oriented rather than urban oriented. Whatever facilities we want to give in the Health Department, we will concentrate in the rural areas.

Legislators' Home Canteen

159. **SRI HANJI SHIVANNA (Tarikere).**—

Will the Minister for Public Works be pleased to state :—

(a) the period during which the Public Works Department managed the Canteen in Legislators' Home;

(b) the profit or loss in the period during which this department managed the Canteen?

SRI S. M. KRISHNA (Minister for Industries and Parliamentary Affairs) [On behalf of **SRI H. M. CHANNABASAPPA** Minister for Public Works].—

(a) The Legislators' Home Canteen was under the management of P.W.D. from 1-3-1973 till 31-12-1974. The Legislators' Home is under the management of the Legislature Secretariat from 1-1-1975.

(b) There is a deficit of Rs. 78,385-82 in the running of the Canteen from 1-3-1973 upto the end of October 1974.

ಶ್ರೀ ಹಂಜಿ ಶಿವಣ್ಣ.—ಕೇವಲ ಒಂದು ವರ್ಷ ಒಂಬತ್ತು ತಿಂಗಳು ಶಾಸಕರ ಭರ್ವಾ ಕ್ಯಾಂಟೀನ್ ಆಡಳಿತವನ್ನು ನಡೆಸಿ ರೂ. 78,385-82 ನಷ್ಟವುಂಟಾಗಿದೆ ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಈ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ವಿವರವಾಗಿ ಉಚಿತ ಸಂಬಂಧಪಟ್ಟಂತೆ ಎಷ್ಟು ಸಾಮಾನುಗಳನ್ನು ಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ, ಇತರ ಸಾಮಗ್ರಿಗಳನ್ನು ಎಷ್ಟು ಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ ಎನ್ನುವುದನ್ನು ತಿಳಿಸುತ್ತಾರೆಯೇ ?